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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (FIVE MONTHS)**

Applicant hereby petitions for a five month extension of time to file this Appeal

Brief under 37 C.F.R. § 1.192. A fee of \$2,010.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge  
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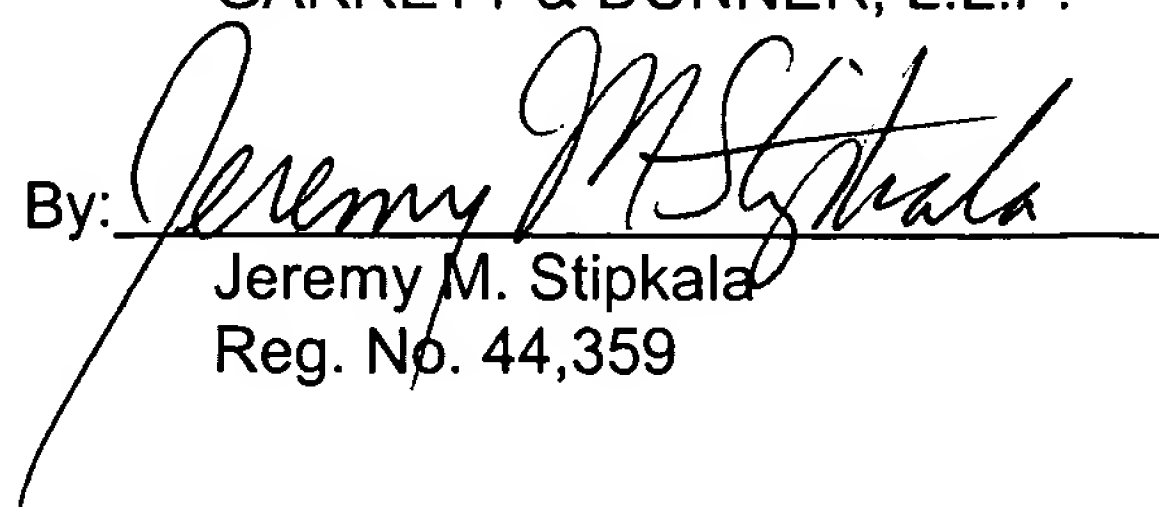
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